

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1652

Silver, Gary M.) Examiner: Hutson, Richard
Wisnewski, Nancy)
Brandt, Kevin S.)

Serial No.: 10/678,521)

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Atty. File No.: FC-1-C1-PUS-1)

For: "NOVEL CARBOXYLESTERASE
NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES,
PROTEINS AND USES THEREOF"

REQUEST FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS
BEING ELECTRONICALLY TRANSMITTED VIA USPTO
EFS, ADDRESSED TO MAIL STOP AMENDMENT,
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450,
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, THIS 12 DAY OF
DECEMBER 2007.

By: HESKA CORPORATION

By: Susan Gordon
Susan Gordon

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of one (1) month to respond to the Office Action having a mailing date of August 27, 2007, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from November 27, 2007 to December 27, 2007.

Applicants claim small entity and authorize the one-month extension fee of \$60 to be charged to Deposit Account 081930. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 081930.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 4, 2007 By: Richard Stern

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